

DIVIDEND ON WATER STOCK BRINGS JOY

Stockholders of the Sierra Madre Water Company have been flocking to the office of the company in the City Hall this week to draw dividend checks on their stock. After paying water rates and assessments for years they seemed to derive huge enjoyment from the novel experience of getting some cash out of the company.

Because the company was a mutual concern and not organized for profit no dividend had ever been paid before. The present disbursement was simply a partial distribution of the assets of the company due to the sale of the company's water system to the city and the decision to disincorporate and go out of business. The dividend of \$7.50 per share represents the bulk of what will be left for distribution, though no final distribution can be made until the company's affairs are all settled up, which will require a number of years on account of the outstanding bonds.

Some Disappointments

Most of the stockholders were able to present their stock certificates and at once receive their dividend checks, which had been made out in advance. But there were some complications and unexpected delays. In many cases persons who thought they had lost their stock certificates came in prepared to make affidavit to that effect and found upon examination that their certificates had never been torn from the books but were in the secretary's hands. They were able to get their certificates and check upon the payment of the nominal transfer fee.

Others had transferred a part of their stock holdings to other persons without having the necessary entries made in the secretary's stock ledger. When one or the other portion of the block of stock was presented the holder was much surprised to find that one check had been made out for the entire block and that all the stock must be produced before the payment could be made. Some minor disputes as to the ownership of certain blocks of stock served to enliven the proceedings.

Messrs. C. J. Pegler and E. F. Ballou have put in three strenuous days in handing out the checks and have had the assistance of Messrs. Blumer and Perry in straightening out the tangles and attending to the business which had to be transacted by mail. Cashier Nuetzel of the First National Bank has also had a share of the mail business to look after, as well as cashing the numerous dividend checks which were presented at once for collection.

MOUNTAIN FIRES

Several minor grass and brush fires have been reported from the Angeles Forest reserve and the hills near Los Angeles. The abundant rains of last winter stimulated a thick growth of grass which is now thoroughly dried out and highly inflammable. Forest guards have had to keep on the alert, owing to the fact that this fine dry grass would cause a fire once started to spread with great rapidity. The opening of the deer season on August 15 will bring a great many hunters and campers into the mountains and increase the fire danger many fold. Practically every fire which has been traced to its cause in this reserve is found to be due to some human agency, and usually through carelessness. Observance of the six simple rules laid down by the forest service officials and printed frequently in the News would obviate almost all danger and prevent the great loss which results annually from mountain fires. The system of granting camp fire permits to persons going into the mountains has aided the forest guards and rangers in keeping track of the campers. And the campers knowing that the rangers could more easily locate responsibility for fires, have taken greater care than usual this year.

Six Rules to Observe to Prevent Disastrous Fires in the Mountains

RULES TO PREVENT MOUNTAIN FIRES

Precautions of the simplest kind would eliminate most of the loss resulting from forest fires, as shown by reports on the causes of the fires in the reserves last season.

Much could be accomplished by observance of the following six simple rules:

1. Be sure your match is out before you throw it away.
2. Knock out your pipe ashes or throw away your cigar or cigarette stump where there is nothing to catch fire.
3. Don't build a camp fire any larger than is absolutely necessary. Never leave it even for a short time without putting it OUT with water or dirt.
4. Don't build a camp fire against a tree or a leg. Build a small one where you can scrape away the needles, leaves or grass from all sides of it.
5. If you discover a fire, put it out if possible; if you can't put it out, get word to the nearest U. S. forest ranger or state fire warden just as quickly as you possibly can.

STURTEVANT'S CAMP NEWS

Guests at Sturtevant's enjoyed a "Kid Party" on Wednesday evening which proved to be a hilarious frolic. Notice of the event was given on attractive posters bearing the following bit of verse composed for the purpose by Roland Adams:

For goodness sake, what's dis Ah see?
It almost takes mah bief away.
Ah guess mah ma will let me come,
Cause I've been awf'ly good at home.
A party what's all built for me—
Could I miss dat? Youse wait an' see.
Ah'll wear mah dress all stiff with starch
'Cause then perhaps Ah'll lead the march.

No one can tell what Ah might did—
Nobody cares, 'cause I've a kid.

At the appointed hour came tramping forth boys and girls in short pants and dresses of wonderful variety, some black, some white, and it was impossible to distinguish the sex of the wearer by the clothes. Striped stick candy and other juvenile delectations were served and dancing was followed by children's games.

Mrs. W. R. Wright and daughter Dora of Los Angeles and the Misses Mary and Dorothy Helps of Long Beach are among the recent arrivals.

Monday evening there was an interesting advertising contest. Mrs. George Holt was awarded first prize for solving 23 of the 25 puzzles.

Dick Boyd of Sierra Madre piloted a merry crowd of young people up the trail to Mt. Wilson Thursday evening.

Owing to the large number of young people in camp and the popularity of the dances four dancing parties have been held this week instead of the customary two. There will be a dance Friday evening.

More than 100 people are in camp now, making a lively community with something doing all the time.

Minstrel talent will have an opportunity for performing on Saturday night. There are a number of skilled performers in camp and the olio is expected to equal a professional vaudeville program.

NEW ELECTRICAL FIRM

Messrs. Gerald Farman, Raymond Adelmeyer and W. E. Farman have taken over the business of the Sierra Madre Electric Company which has been conducted by E. S. Mollenkopf for several years. They will continue the business under the same firm name. They are erecting a new building at the rear of the telephone exchange for the use of the firm. The building will be in harmony outwardly with the telephone building, the wood frame being covered with metal lath and plaster. Gerald Farman will continue in his position with the firm of Kierulff & Company of Los Angeles, wholesalers in electrical supplies.

MONROVIA'S NEW MAYOR

H. J. Evans has been elected to fill the vacancy on the Monrovia board of city trustees, created by the resignation of Mayor Mollenkopf. Mr. Evans was at once elected to the position of mayor. The trustees followed the advice of the Citizens' Committee of Twenty in filling the vacancy. There seems to be prevalent an opinion that in the face of the city's condition of virtual bankruptcy the trustees will now drop the policy which has been characterized as petty politics and get together harmoniously and try to put the city on its feet.

The home of Miss Verna Trible was the scene of a merry gathering on Thursday evening when the Eleven and One Club entertained a number of their friends with a children's party. Amusing games suggestive of childhood days were enjoyed in the yard, which was strung with Japanese lanterns. Delicious, juicy watermelon was served in true youngster fashion. The guests were the Misses Hilda Caley, Anna Jansen, Marion Decker, Verna Trible, Avis and Myrtle Preston, Etta Dickson, Messrs. Frank Minor, Royden Pool, Arthur Sackett, Moore, Joe LeGuin, Arthur Lytle, Rudolph Hartman, George Kehlet, Major Vater and brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Mollenkopf, Mr. and Mrs. William Dennison, Mr. and Mrs. Merton H. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Convers Twycross.

OUTDOOR THEATER PROJECT POPULAR

Suggestions regarding an outdoor auditorium appearing in last week's News seem to have caught the fancy of a considerable number of people, judging by the favorable comment. Aside from the cost of the land the necessary expense would be slight. And the land should not cost a large amount as it would be of little value for other purposes. Monrovia has a beautiful Greek Theater in connection with the new high school buildings and it has been found available for a great variety of gatherings.

At Claremont Pomona college has a theater which has found to fill the proverbial long felt want. The experience there was interesting as showing what might be done in Sierra Madre. The site chosen was at the edge of the San Antonio wash. The amphitheater was built to seat about 3000 people. No funds were available for completing the original plan, which contemplated a wall at the back something like that of the Hearst Greek theater at Berkeley. Consequently the stage was merely levelled, without even a cement floor, and for background there was a clump of live oak and natural shrubbery. At the commencement exercises a year ago the acoustics were found to be practically perfect. Moreover, the natural outdoor setting was unique and so peculiarly appropriate for many of the events which would be staged that there arose immediately a cry that the stage should remain unchanged.

Consider then, what could be done in Sierra Madre. Picture in your mind's eye a semi-circular amphitheater, with the sky for a roof by day or night, and the audience facing northward. For the immediate background of the stage some shrubbery and low-growing trees, and arising beyond the Mother Range, The Sierra Madre, the most beautiful "back drop" of any stage in the world.

Such an auditorium would be available at all seasons of the year in Sierra Madre. Not only would it be suitable for affairs of local interest but it would take care of gatherings which could not be housed in any building which is likely to be erected in Sierra Madre for years to come. Only those who have experienced the charm of a concert, addresses or pageant in such an outdoor setting can appreciate all that it would mean to Sierra Madre. The spread of the pageant idea all over the United States is another indication that Sierra Madre should have a place suitable for staging something of the kind in the not distant future. As an advertising feature and as a means of culture it would add greatly to the city's assets. Think it over and talk about it.

PERSONAL MENTION

Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Krebs and Miss Coffey attended a musical tea given by Mr. and Mrs. Dobson of Pasadena on Wednesday afternoon. Later they motored to the Maillard home on Huntington drive for a dinner party.

The T. C. B.'s were entertained very delightfully last Friday evening at the home of Miss Lucile Sparks. The guests came dressed as small children. A jolly evening was spent playing games and very delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Mead and family and Miss Helen Jansen motored over from Riverside on Sunday and spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Mead. They returned to Riverside on Monday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gilliland and Billy Jr.

Miss Mabel Smith and mother, Miss Ruby Densil and mother and the Misses Nettie Pike, Pearl Hamilton, Madge Smith, Maude Hawkins and Marguerite Anderson of Long Beach are spending a fortnight in Sierra Madre at one of Mrs. Anderson's cottages.

Glady's Walker entertained about fifteen of her friends on Friday afternoon with a party in honor of her twelfth birthday. The guests had a merry time playing games and all enjoyed the delicious refreshments which were served on the lawn.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. W. S. Hull and Mrs. A. T. Gay entertained the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Congregational church very delightfully Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Gay. A very pleasant afternoon was spent sewing for the bazaar to be held in December. Delicious refreshments were enjoyed by the thirty five ladies present.

On Tuesday evening Mrs. William Dennison entertained the members of the Eleven and One Club and a few other friends, in honor of Mrs. Convers Twycross and Mrs. A. W. Love of Venice. A pleasant evening was spent with music and games. Miss Cook entertained with a number of vocal selections. The guests included the Misses Anna Jansen, Hilda Caley, Verna Trible, Marion Decker, Avis Preston, Gertrude Cook, Etta Dickson and Mesdames Ruth Twycross, Mildred Clark, Stella Dennison, A. W. Love and Florence Cheney.

EDISON COMPANY'S SERVICE BUTTONS

District Agent Fred Schwartz of the Edison Company distributed to his men yesterday the new service buttons. Hereafter each of the nearly 2,000 employees of the company will wear the small lapel insignia which by color and design will indicate the length of his service.

The last number of the company's magazine, Current Topics, has a cover design which shows the various types of button in the actual colors. Length of service is divided into five-year periods which are indicated by figures 1-5, 5-10 and so on up to 20-25. All bear the same lettering, Southern California Edison Co., but there is a different color combination for each period. For the shortest period the button is of bronze. All others have the lettering in 14-kt gold but with enamel background in varying colors. But one man in the company's employ wears the 20-25 year button, which is gold and white.

In the same number of the magazine appears an article by Vice President W. A. Brackenridge, setting forth forcibly the meaning of long and loyal service to the company. Another article in similar tenor by General Agent S. M. Kennedy deals with the employee in his relations to the public and to the company. Anybody who comes in contact with many Edison employees discovers a feeling of loyalty to the company which is enjoyed by few public service corporations. These two articles give an insight into some of the things that may be responsible for the thing that has been called "The Edison Spirit."

ARCADIA HAS A PAPER

Another publisher has undertaken to supply Arcadia with a weekly newspaper. The new publication is called The Arcadia Journal and the name of W. H. Payne appears on the editorial heading. The current issue announces that a Chamber of Commerce is to be formed and the community is to take on new life.

BOOZE AT BANQUETS

Elbert Hubbard is no Puritanical agitator. He flings about as many brickbats at preachers and reformers as anyone in the writing game. Of late years he has been devoting much of his time to writing advertising matter (appearing elsewhere than in the advertising pages). But once in a while he devotes some space in the Philistine to something else and it usually has a "punch." Recently he paid a few pages of respects to Booze at Banquets and here are a few sentences indicating something of the change which has been taking place in recent years:

During the past year I have attended forty-seven banquets. And I still survive. I state the number, not to boast but as a confession. I desire to qualify as a gobbler and guzzler, or an authority on gastronomy. Sixteen of the banquets were dry. Eighteen were semi-dry. That is, they started with a cocktail and stopped there. The rest were of the old fashioned kind, beginning with cocktails, running into wine, and often there were beer and whiskey that had been contributed for advertising or ethical purposes.

I can well remember the time when a banquet without booze was considered a barren idealism, worse than Hamlet with the melancholy Dane omitted, or a ham sandwich without the ham.

There was a theory that nobody would attend a dry banquet, and that the whole thing would be of a lugubrious and funereal kind. I give it now as my opinion that the most successful banquets are those where no strong drink of any kind is served.

A banquet has its basis in good fellowship, focussed to further ideas, plans and schemes civic and social in which all should be interested. Good-fellowship need not be confounded with conviviality, for the lucid and the lush are not synonymous.

I have noticed that the Rotarians especially cut out the booze. The Rotarians are picked men. At a Rotary club if you have anything to say you say it to sober men.

The listeners at a banquet key the discourse. Where the booze bubbles the bazzara is keyed low. I have known banquets that were ruined by the actions of the silly, simpering swilling souse. A man who cannot laugh unless he is in the hands of John Barleycorn is not much of a man after all.

The Ad Clubs have very sensibly set themselves against J. Barleycorn. Some of them have passed resolutions on the subject, stating what they think of him.

I think our needs are changing; that we have a little finer nerve force than ever before; that we are stimulated by ideas and personal presence and do not need the artificial jacking up that the spiritus frumenti supplies.

There is nothing between business and booze that forms a bond. The two are much better separated.

Business stands for human betterment. Booze isn't so particular.

QUINCY EXHIBIT SOUGHT

Herald, Quincy, Ill.: Charles W. Brunson, formerly of Quincy, manager of the County Home Telephone Co., the Gem City Auto Co., and other enterprises, is here interesting manufacturers in the Panama exposition at San Francisco next year.

His plan, being worked out in conjunction with the Chamber of Commerce, is to have the Quincy exhibitors purchase space together at the exposition and make of it a "Made in Quincy" display, with rest room in connection and literature on the tables advertising Quincy and its advantages as a manufacturing city and a city of residence. There will be demonstrators and salesmen present all the time the exposition is open. The plan contemplates in a general way the sending to Quincy orders that may be taken, although in some lines there may be sales made directly at the exposition.

Mr. Brunson's home is now in Los Angeles and he likes it out there, with its warm days and cool nights and its glorious climate all around.

SERVICE

(Charles Heston Peirson in Edison Current Topics)

That all shall serve, seems the sublime decree;

Some, serving, scale the heights; some, course the sea.

The righteous king who well the scepter wields,

Is brother server to the toiler in the fields.

To some 'tis given—they with minds of scope,

To see afar, and point the path to hope;

Yet who more worthy in all earth's toiling band,

Than he who serves his own—to others lends a hand?

Born we to service, they who serving not,

Become the dross within life's melting pot;

And the reward for him who hath not served?

A whisper when the shadows creep, "Thou also served."

Prof. and Mrs. Edward T. Pierce of West Central avenue entertained with a dinner party on Tuesday evening. The guests who motored out from Los Angeles were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert A. Pierce, Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Mark A. Pierce, Dr. and Mrs. Fred E. Pierce, Dr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Pierce, and Rev. F. Irving Wheat and wife, Mrs. Catherine Pierce Wheat. The party spent a happy evening and enjoyed the moonlight motor ride back to their homes. Mrs. Pierce was assisted in entertaining by her daughter, Mrs. Vora Pierce Maull of San Diego, who is spending the summer with her parents in Sierra Madre.

Mr. Alfred Rehder of the Arnold Arboretum, Boston, who is considered one of America's foremost plantmen, spent a day recently in F. J. Hart's gardens at Villa. Mr. Rehder was greatly interested and carried away many specimens of rare and choice things in plant life which he had not found in any other place.

Sierra Madre Directory

CITY OFFICIALS

BOARD OF TRUSTEES—J. G. Blumer, Chairman; J. C. Pegler, L. E. Steinberger, J. M. Board, Louis Dietz. Regular meetings in City Hall, second and fourth Thursday evenings.
City Clerk, C. H. Perry, Attorney, C. C. Montgomery, Treasurer, Max W. Wolff, Marshal, Tax Collector, and Street Superintendent, A. M. Udell; Engineer, W. F. Bixby; Superintendent Water Department, F. Biederman.
BOARD OF HEALTH—Dr. R. H. Mackerras, Chairman; F. Biederman, Secretary; J. A. Osgood, A. N. Adams, Dr. A. C. Holmes.

BOARD OF TRADE—Meets second Monday in each month in City Hall. President, E. D. R. Moore; vice president, H. T. Fennel; secretary, E. F. Ballou, treasurer, H. T. Fennel, J. N. Hawks, G. H. Johnson, E. A. Hoffman, Arthur Johnson, Jr., E. C. Carhart.

CHURCHES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Central Ave., at Hermosa. Rev. W. H. Hanna, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Christian Endeavor Society, 6:30 p. m. Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Midweek prayer meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION (Episcopal)—Dr. George H. Cornell, Rector. Residence, The Rectory, Phone Black 30. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning Prayer and sermon, 11 a. m. Holy Communion first Sunday in the month, 11 a. m.; on the greater festival and other days by appointment, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday evening service from October to July, 7:30 p. m.

ROMAN CATHOLIC—Chapel on Highland avenue, east of Baldwin. Rev. M. W. Barth in charge. Services at 8 a. m. Sunday.

HOME OF TRUTH—438 Auburn Ave. Sunday service, 3:30 p. m. Bible lesson, Wednesday, 3 p. m. Healing meeting, Friday, 8 p. m. All are welcome.

PUBLIC LIBRARY

SIERRA MADRE FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY—Central avenue, W. of Luma. Open each weekday afternoon from 1:30 to 5:30 and from 7 to 9 o'clock each evening. Mrs. F. B. Wheatley, Librarian. Municipal Library Board—George B. Morgridge, Chairman; H. J. Potter, Mrs. E. T. Pierce, W. S. Andrews, J. A. Osgood.

FRATERNAL

SIERRA MADRE LODGE, No. 408, F. & A. M.—Stated meeting first Tuesday in

ADVANTAGES OF TORRENS LAND TITLES

The real estate operators of Southern California, as a rule, are exhibiting a lively interest in the movement to secure the passage of the initiative measure providing for the establishment of the Torrens System of land registration and transfer of titles in this state. In that portion of the state in particular those engaged in the business of buying and selling real estate, either city property or farm lands, have found it expedient, under the existing laws, to depend upon title insurance and title abstract companies for assistance in the cumbersome procedure entailed by the ordinary transactions of this character.

For many years complaints have been made about the frequently excessive charges made by such corporations for their services in consummating sales and trades. Sometimes the threatened expense has been so heavy as to result in a termination of negotiations. One case has been reported in which one title insurance company demanded a sum in excess of \$600 for running down the abstract and insuring title for a relatively brief period. When a bid was asked of a competing corporation the figure named was \$150. Even the smaller amount was deemed excessive by the operator handling the transaction. In this case the amount involved was about \$50,000. Under the Torrens System the total expense of registration, transfer, recording all instruments and insuring title not for from two to five years but forever, with title absolutely quieted forever by decree of the court—would have been in the neighborhood of \$75, possibly a little more. The fees for securing subsequent certificates of title are nominal.

The feature of the proposed law which is working to its advantage more, perhaps, than any other, is the fact that under it titles are not only quieted forever by the court's decree directing the registration of the land but that the guarantee of title by the state is a guarantee for all time.

Besides this, real estate men are taking note of the fact that with the Torrens System available they will be able to put through a sale within one day, instead of being compelled to wait for many days, sometimes weeks, to enable a private corporation to make the search which will justify it in insuring title.

They have learned upon inquiry, moreover, that in Massachusetts, where the Torrens system has been in use for over sixteen years, bankers who are asked to loan large amounts of money on real estate usually insist upon a Torrens title.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stubbins are spending a few days at Long Beach this week visiting Mrs. Van Velsor. They will attend the Iowa picnic there on Saturday.

SIERRA MADRE POST OFFICE

MAIL ARRIVES:
From the East—10 a. m.; 3:30 p. m.; 5:30 p. m.
From the West—10 a. m.; 3 p. m.; 5:30 p. m.

MAIL DEPARTS:
For the East—8:40 a. m.; 11:30 a. m.; 4:10 p. m.
For the West—8:40 a. m.; 11:30 a. m.; 4:10 p. m.

POST OFFICE HOURS:
Delivery—7:30 a. m. to 6:30 p. m. Lobby open till 9 p. m. Lobby open Sundays from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.

SANTA FE ROUTE

Trains of Santa Anita Station Eastbound

Train No.	Time	Destination
8	8:12 a. m.	Riverside and San Jacinto local.
42	9:14 a. m.	Kite Shaped Track local.
4	1:51 p. m.	California Limited, Chicago.
18	2:41 p. m.	Phoenix Express.
44	5:10 p. m.	San Bernardino local.
4	5:51 p. m.	Saint, for San Francisco.
6	6:47 p. m.	De Luxe train for east, Tuesday.
10	8:42 p. m.	San Bernardino local.

Westbound

Train No.	Time	Destination
1	6:10 a. m.	Eastern Tourist Express.
9	6:25 a. m.	Overland Express.
8	8:01 a. m.	"Angel" from San Francisco.
41	9:14 a. m.	San Bernardino local.
47	12:16 p. m.	San Bernardino local.
3	1:51 p. m.	California Limited.
43	4:41 p. m.	San Bernardino local.
11	8:15 p. m.	San Bernardino local.

PACIFIC ELECTRIC RAILWAY

Leave Los Angeles	Leave Sierra Madre	Arrive Los Angeles	Arrive Sierra Madre
4:30	12:05	4:30	12:10
5:55	1:05	5:55	1:10
7:05	2:05	7:05	2:10
8:05	3:05	8:05	3:10
9:05	4:05	9:05	4:10
10:05	4:40	10:05	4:50
11:05	5:20	11:05	5:30
	6:05		6:10
	6:55		7:00
	7:45		7:50
	8:35		8:40
	9:25		9:30
	10:15		10:20

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Brief Items of Interest

Mrs. C. F. Costello spent the week end in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Johnson and family spent the week end at Balboa.

George Hannaford spent three days in Sierra Madre this week visiting his parents.

Mrs. Shannon was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Lewis at Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Yerxa and little Virginia are at Long Beach for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Montgomery and children are at Santa Monica for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Harold Taylor spent Wednesday in Sierra Madre as the guest of Mrs. Florence Cheney.

Mrs. Harry Dickenson and two children of Morgan Hill, Cal., are visiting in Sierra Madre this week.

Mrs. W. P. Caley left last Saturday for Santa Monica where she will stay during the month of August.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. G. Twycross and Miss Ruth Sparks and James Sparks motored to Ocean Park on Sunday.

Capt. and Mrs. J. A. Osgood were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dietz on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. R. Moote and family have taken a cottage at Sunset Beach for the month of August.

Mrs. L. M. Caldwell and Mrs. J. E. Fairbanks spent Thursday at Hermosa Beach as the guests of Mrs. Scott of Springfield, Ill.

Miss Katherine Schwartz, Miss Elizabeth and Mr. Maybury Smith spent three days last week at the Hotel Del Coronado.

Arthur and Joe Evans returned Tuesday night from a two weeks' stay at the Los Angeles County Y. M. C. A. Camp on Catalina Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Convers Twycross returned Monday from a two weeks' trip to Cold Brook. They left Wednesday for their new home at Ocean Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Leander Pettitt and Mr. Conrad Overstrong motored up from Santa Monica and spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Allen and daughter Margaret spent Sunday and Monday at the home of Mrs. Allen's sister, Mrs. Robert J. Kerr, of Los Angeles.

Miss Elizabeth Smith and Mr. Maybury Smith, who have been visiting Miss Katherine Schwartz for a few weeks, returned to Philadelphia last Saturday.

Coralie and Burnadette Brown entertained a number of their friends Thursday afternoon with a delightful little tea in honor of Katherine Margaret Green of Illinois.

Mrs. Frank J. Hart and sons Harold and Karl were at the Virginia, Long Beach, over Saturday, to see the closing games of the Southern California tennis tournament.

Miss Dorothy Camp, Miss Appleby and Messrs. Victor Hill, Laurance Nource, Charles Camp and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ingraham spent the week end at the cabin in Bailey's Canyon.

Dr. and Mrs. Krebs attended a tea given on Thursday by William Louis Daniels for a number of Los Angeles military people in honor of Col. Pickett, who is in command of troops in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald C. Ashmore left Thursday for San Francisco whence they will sail for Honolulu to make their home. Mr. Ashmore has accepted a position with a large optical manufacturing concern there.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Mason of 633 West Central avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Katherine Fielding, to Lieutenant Alfred L. Rockwood of the 12th U. S. Infantry. The wedding will take place in October.

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RECORD AS ENGINEER
(Authorized Statement)

Friends of E. S. Cobb of Whittier are putting up a lively campaign to get his name on the November ballot as one of the candidates for supervisor from the First District. In addition to vouching for his integrity, they point to his record as a construction engineer of large experience. He has a highly trained mind which has had to cope with a great variety of work, as college instructor, as construction engineer and builder. He has more than thirty years of practical experience, has resided in the first district many years, and has supervised the expenditure of more than \$7,000,000 on work in Los Angeles county. He is peculiarly qualified, his friends feel, to participate in the management of the vast business of the county of Los Angeles. In dealing with highways, bridges and the problems of flood control they point out that his knowledge of materials and workmanship will enable him to judge whether or not the county is getting one hundred cents worth for every dollar expended. Mr. Cobb pledges himself to give all his time to the work of the office if elected supervisor.

Painty place cards in many new designs, at the News Printery, next the postoffice.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald C. Ashmore left Thursday for Honolulu.

Mrs. L. H. Anderson of Long Beach spent the week end in Sierra Madre.

Miss Elida Olsen, who has been visiting in Seattle for a month, returned last Saturday.

Miss Harriet Collins of New York City was the week end guest of Miss Jean Green.

Mrs. A. W. Love and two children of Venice are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Norris.

Miss Collins and her mother of Fremont, Neb., were the guests of Mrs. C. W. Jones today.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton H. Clark moved Tuesday into one of Mrs. Hearne's cottages on South Hermosa.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Nuetzel were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Yerxa at Long Beach.

S. R. G. Twycross has sold the Craven place on West Mira Monte to Miss Frances Fletcher of Banning.

Herbert Peterson and Miss Collins of Los Angeles were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gray are enjoying a visit from Mr. Gray's sister, Mrs. May Fitzpatrick of Greeley, Col.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lettau and Miss Katherine Mason were week end guests of Mrs. A. N. Davidson at Venice.

Miss Chamberlain left Tuesday for a short visit in Santa Barbara. After her return she will stay a few days on Catalina Island.

Mrs. J. C. Dickson and Miss Etta Dickson spent a few days this week visiting the Misses Bixby and Mrs. DeVol at Pasadena.

Dr. Elizabeth Kearney of Los Angeles and Mrs. C. D. Wheeler of Pasadena were the week end guests of Capt. and Mrs. J. A. Osgood.

Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Krebs were guests of Elizabeth Waggoner at her attractive new studio in Hollywood, at a supper party Sunday. Later in the evening Oscar Seiling and Homer Grunn gave a moonlight concert.

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FOR THE CHILDREN**Boy Scout Camp Rules.**

The following provisional rules have been adopted for the government of the Boy Scout of America camps during the season of 1914. They are issued by Lorillard Spencer, chief scout commissioner:

The camp will be in charge of the campmaster or the assistant campmaster at all times.

All scouts shall report at camp headquarters upon entering or leaving camp except when on special detail. Failure to register upon departure will debar a scout from future camp privileges.

No scout may leave the camp limits without permission.

Swimming, except at regular hours prescribed by the campmaster or with his permission, is absolutely prohibited. Scouts must wear bathing suits.

Before using boats permission must be obtained on the proper form from the campmaster and presented to the boat guard.

Trees and shrubs are to be protected, and the cutting of same except under the direction of the campmaster will be punished.

No scout who has his camp privileges taken away may return to camp without the consent of the campmaster, which must be filed in writing at these headquarters.

Spending money shall be limited to 50 cents a week. No candy, soda or food of any kind will be permitted in the tents or in camp except what is officially provided or obtained with the consent of the campmaster.

The Whippoorwill.

There are several reasons why the whippoorwill is rarely seen. He sleeps all day in the heart of the solitary woods, and instead of perching across the branch (which he is unable to do because his claws are so tiny) he crouches lengthwise along it, his dusky coloring not to be distinguished from that of the bark. His back and long wings are mottled in grays, buffs and browns, his head black and white and his tail in blending colors, with the lower half of the outside feathers white. He matches well the mossy limb on which he squats. If he is discovered by chance he utters no cry, but flies silently away.

The eggs are even harder to find than the parents, for they are creamy white with dark brown and olive spots, simply laid on the bare ground, with the colors of which they blend. The whippoorwill is very careful of their children. If they think they are discovered they pick them up in their mouths and move them as a cat does her kittens.—Farm Journal.

Game of One Legged Traveler.

If the game is to be played on the lawn scatter apples, oranges, bananas, nuts of various kinds and a few gourds, turnips or other vegetables at intervals of a few feet. Instruct each player that he must double one leg at the knee, holding it up from the ground and hopping on the other. Without touching the doubled up foot to the ground he is to gather as many of the fruits, nuts, etc., as he can, the one making the largest collection receiving a prize. If in bending over he touches both feet to the ground or loses his balance he forfeits three of the trophies already secured. At the end of the game each player is privileged to eat his prizes.

Seven Day Game.

Name each player for one day of the week, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, etc., and ask them to stand in a line facing the side of the room or a fence. The leader throws a small rubber ball against the wall, at the same time calling the name (day) of the player whom he wishes to catch it. If Monday is called that player must have the ball safe in his hands by the time the leader can count ten, counting aloud. If he misses the leader recovers the ball and throws it again, calling some other player.

If there are more than seven players use months, January, February, March, etc., instead of Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Conundrums.

When are hunters and stars alike?
When shooting.
When is yeast like Chinese women's feet? When compressed.
When are fleas like the winter wind? When biting.
Why is a lady's evening gown like a vine? It has to be trained.
What sea would a man on a leaking ship prefer? Adriatic (a dry attic).
When is a window like a star? When it is a skylight.

Sing a Song of Cookies.

Sing a song of cookies.
Ready now to bake;
Four and twenty raisins
In a raisin cake.
Molly, dear, and Polly
Are the little cooks
In their linen pinafores
Reading cookery books.

When the cake was ready
They began to sing.
"Isn't this a dainty dish
To set before a king?"

Father in the library
Reading daily news;
Mother in the nursery
Fixing baby's shoes.

When they heard the laughter
Of the little cooks
Both stood in the doorway
With inquiring looks.

"When the cake is finished
All of us will sing.
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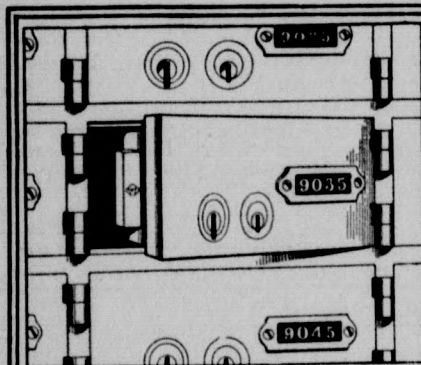
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EL MONTE MAN LOGICAL CANDIDATE FOR SUPERVISOR

(Authorized Statement)

El Monte Gazette: Six of the nine candidates who are asking for the office of county supervisor are residents of the west end of the First Supervisorial District. In view of the fact that the office has been held in that end of the district for the past sixteen years, an host of honest, fair-minded voters living in Pasadena, Alhambra, San Gabriel and vicinities are willing and glad that this office should go to some locality east of the San Gabriel boulevard. Hundreds of people all over the district look upon I. F. Baker as the logical candidate—his long residence in the center of the district, and his fund of general knowledge acquired through his relations with all kinds of human endeavor, especially fit him for this important position. Ranchers, laborers, business men, and all classes regardless of race, religion, sex or political affiliation are hearing him with interest and responding to his forceful, fitting arguments. His strength seems to be phenomenal, many of the most enthusiastic supporters predict his election at the primary.

For twenty years he has been one of the leaders, if not the leader, in all that has stood for the moral, political and commercial uplift of El Monte. In the matter of flood water control (El Monte's greatest problem) he has always said, "Come on, boys!" and has given of his time and money liberally. Having always been a doer, and not a dreamer, very little of his time has been given to theorizing or to the discussion of debris cones, erosions, major floods and absorption areas; he deems experience the best teacher, and for twenty years has known the San Gabriel river in all its varying conditions and there is hardly a man in the county who has had more actual, practical first-hand knowledge of this periodically turbulent stream. Mr. W. H. Whalen, superintendent of the Southern Pacific Railway Company, said of him last February at the time of the big flood: "That man Baker is certainly a live wire; he aided me materially in this protection work, the saving of the bridge as well as of the town of El Monte was due in a large measure to his decisive assistance and untiring efforts; his knowledge of the river conditions was well worth while and he could shovel more sand than any Mexican on the job."

I. F. Baker has been a man in every sense of the word. Whether as the leading merchant in El Monte (for seventeen years he conducted the large establishment here), as a director in the First National bank, which he helped to organize and manage successfully, or as a plain, ordinary member of the human family, mixing and mingling with fellowmen, he has proven himself worthy of confidence and respect.

He has enjoyed business relations with the leading wholesale houses in Los Angeles: R. L. Craig Co., M. A. Newmark Co., Globe Grain and Milling Co., Union Hardware & Metal Co., Pacific Hardware & Steel Co., Brownstein-Louis Co., Cooper, Coate, Casey Dry Goods Co., Stewart-Dawes Shoe Co., Los Angeles Notion Co., Parmelee-Dohrman Co., Pacific Crockery & Tinware Co., Cudahy Packing Co. and others. These firms all cheerfully attest to his ability, honesty and business integrity. Scores of traveling salesmen throughout Southern California speak of him in the highest terms.

He voted against the Los Angeles county charter, feeling that it would place too much power in the hands of five men and that there was danger of making of the board of supervisors a corrupt political machine; but since the adoption he has made a careful study of it and thinks it will do very well, provided the civil service provision is adhered to. He declares that efficiency should be the test as to a person's fitness for a position. He thinks that a man who might be a success as a stable buck ought not to be intrusted with a typewriter, a set of books or a surveyor's transit.

Mr. Baker believes that our ultimate salvation as a nation, state or community depends upon the individual character of the body politic, hence his prompt assistance with time and money to inaugurate the Los Angeles County Y. M. C. A. movement which is meeting with such splendid results in creating wholesome and clean conditions for our boys. As a director he is taking no small part in this work of character building.

He is spending several days this season with the Y. M. C. A. boys at their summer camp on Catalina Island. The present board of supervisors is composed of men who are all practically from cities and have their ideas and conceptions from a city man's point of view. Inasmuch as a major part of the work pertains to the county, it would seem no more than fair that at least one man serve on the board whose environment has been such as to put him in harmony and sympathy with country people, and who understands their needs and demands.

Drop into Dow's after the picture show—or any other evening—and call for one of those delicious Specials made with Crescent ice cream, fresh fruit and pure syrups.

Gold Coins.

The first gold coined in Rome was known as the aureus or aureole. This coin was issued in 207 B. C. and its face value varied at different times. According to conditions it was worth from about \$3 to \$8.

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Economy Hints

A penny saved is a penny earned.—
Benjamin Franklin.

THE delight of camp life lies in its utter freedom and the reduction of all things to their utmost simplicity. This very simplicity calls for much common sense in planning the kitchen arrangements, for the recipes of ordinary life are not practical without markets near at hand. It is in most instances possible to procure chickens, fresh eggs and milk, which, of course, make the menus less monotonous than if one is reduced to evaporated and condensed milk and dehydrated eggs, though much that is edible may be contrived even with these supplies.

Fish is a staple of camp menus, for usually the camp is near water. In preparing fish there are several general rules to follow. First, olive oil is best to fry them in, and, next to oil, butter; second, only large fish should be boiled; third, any fish that are to be fried must be wiped dry or they will absorb too much grease, and the fat must be very hot before the fish are put in; fourth, if the fish have been caught in muddy water rub salt on the backbone and put them in strong brine for an hour or more before cooking.

In the autumn birds will probably be a foremost part of the menu, and to roast them with their feathers on is the easiest and the primitive way. Open the bird as usual and draw it; then cover it with wet clay, bury it in hot coals and in forty minutes take it from the coals and peel off the clay, and the feathers and skin will come also. This is a guide's method.

Eggs may be roasted in the coals or, rather, in hot ashes. Cover them and keep enough fire on top to insure steady heat, and in six minutes they will be done.

Soup for cold days is more than acceptable. Potato soup is at once nourishing and delicious. Peel and cut into slices a pound of potatoes. Chop up two onions and put all into a saucepan with an ounce of fat. Cook for five minutes with a lid over the pan; then add a pint of water and boil gently until all are reduced to a pulp. Add half an ounce of washed sage and a pint of milk. Cook again until the sage is transparent; then season with pepper and salt.

Fruits, except berries, are almost unknown in the average camp. Lemons must be provided, and dried fruits make many good things. Where fresh berries or other fruits are at hand a sauce made from them is often a substitute for milk and sugar. Boil the fresh fruit until it is pulp and can be mashed. Press it through cheesecloth, sweeten according to taste, and when it is to be served heat it and, if desired, add spices.

This sauce is excellent on rognod, a favorite dish of the Swedes and Norwegians. To make it take one and a half quarts of water and add one and a half quarts of acid fruit juice and two heaping cupsful of sugar. Let these ingredients come to a boil with a stick of cinnamon tied in cheesecloth, which is, of course, taken out later. While the mixture is boiling stir in slowly so that it will not be lumpy a pound of soaked sage or a pound and a half of arrowroot; then boil it for fifteen minutes and turn into cups to cool and form.

Alf balls are another good dessert. Make a dough as for cream of tartar biscuits and cut in small squares. Fry these in exceedingly hot fat like doughnuts, lay them on paper to drain off the grease, then dip them in hot simmered molasses. Serve them hot.

A WORD TO THE WISE.

How to Make Two Dresses Look Like Four.

Last summer a clever girl with very few pennies made two dresses look like four, which is, you will admit, quite an accomplishment. There is no reason why her example cannot be followed this year.

She bought materials for two ratine dresses, one of blue and one white. She made them exactly alike, with belted Russian coats with rather short tunics. The blue coat had a white collar and cuffs, and the white coat had a blue collar and cuffs. The blue skirt was a little more elaborate than the white, as it was meant for church wear.

When she wanted a variety she changed coats, wearing the blue coat with the white skirt and vice versa. With the addition of a black straw shade hat decorated with a wreath of field flowers and a stiff white walking hat with a black quilt, she was either very dressy or quite tailor made. The coats required no blouse beneath and so were not too warm for even very hot days, but either skirt could be worn with a pretty lingerie blouse if she so desired.

How to Remove Superfluous Hair.

The French method of removing superfluous hair consists of applying peroxide and ammonia to the offending skin on alternate nights. The treatment will have to be continued for several months before it will destroy the hair, but there will be no danger of the hair ever returning.



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EDITORIAL CHAT

The Nation's Sorrow—

In some respects a president of the United States is the most pathetic figure in the land. This is especially true of men like President Wilson whose home life has been so different from any which is possible in the White House. He belongs to the nation to such an extent that he scarcely seems to belong to his home and family, particularly in times of such stress as the present administration has seen. The coming of a great sorrow like that which has befallen the presidential household in the loss of wife and mother serve to accentuate the pathos of the President's position. The fine mind and quiet dignity with which the President has borne the load of the past year have won for him a degree of popular sympathy and the nation will make his present grief its own.

Making War News—

Hearst sent a conscientious reporter named Mitchell to report the Niagara peace conference. When Mitchell telegraphed authentic news the Hearst papers deliberately distorted it and interpolated fake messages from Carranza. Mitchell protested to his superior in New York, who replied by wire: "Be philosophical. No reflection on you. Good soldiers are patient even if superior officers make mistakes." The offenses continued. Mitchell refused to be a party to the infamy and asked to be relieved. The boss in New York wired back: "All right. Please come home tonight. Always send the news facts and leave policy to editors." What a miserable amateur Ananias was.

Profit and Loss—

According to the report of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue for the fiscal year 1913, only 58,121 bushels of grain were used in California during the year in making distilled spirits. Practically all the whiskey used in California is produced by the whiskey trust in the east. The money for whiskey is sent outside the state to enrich the eastern distillers and importers. But California taxpayers foot the bills for whiskey-made crime and poverty.

Fashions in Ears—

Fashion says women must brush their hair back and "wear their ears out" nowadays. The wonder is that some Sierra Madre women (men, too) have not worn their ears out long since, trying to catch every stray whisper of gossip and affairs that were none of their business.

We Will Not—

On an impressive letter head bearing the names of a campaign committee consisting of prominent bankers, lawyers and merchants comes the following touching appeal: "Dear Editor: Frankly admitting inability to pay for publicity we seek your kindly consideration of Mr. _____'s candidacy solely from motives of patriotism"

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Elect him at the primaries.

and party allegiance. You can help us more than anybody in your community. Will you do it?"

Until the aforementioned bankers, lawyers and merchants are willing to furnish money without interest and merchandise without cost to newspaper publishers the latter will probably continue to chuck such appeals in the waste basket. But let's examine these "motives of patriotism and party allegiance" again. The candidate is affirmed to be clean and competent. So is his opponent, the incumbent. The only offense charged against the incumbent is that he is trying to steal the nominations of other parties than his own. The incumbent has made good as an honest and efficient official. Now gentlemen, where do you get that brand of patriotism which makes you want to fire such an official merely to satisfy your notions regarding party loyalty? That sort of thing is one of the greatest evils from which American government suffers.

—G. B. M.

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(Incumbent)

Candidate for Progressive
Nomination

Representative in Congress

NINTH DISTRICT

Charles H. Randall



Prohibition Candidate for Congress

Tenth District

SUBJECT TO PRIMARIES

HOW THE HOUSEWIFE CAN SAVE HERSELF LABOR.

It is a trying task to cut gowns or skirts of crepe de chine, silk muslin, soft silks or any material which has a tendency to draw or slip on the table, and if you would greatly obviate the difficulty of cutting such goods, first cover the table with a felt or heavy cloth.

In renovating feather pillows first open one corner of the ticking and pour boiling water in. This renders the feathers a kind of pulpy wet mass, which can be easily handled. Have ready some soapy water and take the feathers out and thoroughly wash them in this, using more soap if necessary. Then thoroughly rinse them in several waters and put back into the washed cover and hang it out in the hot sun.

With a long, clean stick you can turn them occasionally through the opened corner. As the sun's heat dries the feathers they will swell to fill the cover and be wonderfully light and fluffy and perfectly clean without being scattered at all, which invariably happens when they are handled dry.

A neat and very satisfactory way to keep patterns is to file them away in a twenty-five cent letter file. Kept this way (flat) they are not found rolled or torn when the housewife needs them, and they are very easily found if the patterns of one class are filed away together.

Some housekeepers aver that if a room is filled with smoke it can be easily cleared by waving above one's head a towel that has been dashed in hot water and vinegar and then wrung out. Used in a fanning fashion, it is said to accomplish the work in a few minutes. Only a little vinegar in a small quantity of water is required for the wetting of the towel.

HOUSEHOLD KINKS.

How to Circumvent Troublesome Dampness.

There are to be had in the shops small glass salt shakers that are fitted with glass perforated tops that screw into position. These are especially useful in the damp days that always come in the spring after the furnace fires are first discontinued, for it is then that salt becomes moist and sticky. As the salt collects the moisture in the air it causes the silver top of the salt shaker to oxidize. Every housekeeper knows that it is a physical impossibility to keep silver topped salt shakers bright in damp weather, and this is the reason. The little glass topped shakers obviate this trouble and are a time saving introduction.

There are many ways of keeping salt from sticking in damp weather. One way is to mix the salt with cornstarch or flour; but, of course, this weakens the saline quality of the substance in the salt dish. A better way is to put half a dozen kernels of rice in the salt in each shaker. This rice absorbs, to some extent, the moisture and so keeps the salt moderately dry. It is hardly expedient to use kernels of rice in open salt dishes, and in these flour or cornstarch is the best thing. It is a good plan to keep salt dishes of all descriptions in a warm, dry place between meals. This will do much to keep them from collecting dampness. The salt should be changed whenever it seems sticky. It can be dried and used in cooking.

Cheesecloth bags filled with charcoal, which collects moisture, should be hung about in damp places. The charcoal can be dried in the oven from time to time to keep it in good condition.

Charcoal can be kept in boxes or jars of cereals to collect moisture and keep them dry.

Keep wafers and crackers and other things that easily become soggy where it is warm. If there is a coal fire in the kitchen the shelf over the kitchen stove is a good place to keep things that should be crisp and dry. In a kitchen that has a gas stove only they can be dried out occasionally in the oven.

BE YOUR OWN DOCTOR.

How to Make a Pleasant Cough Sirup That Will Relieve Irritation.

Have you a troublesome cough that does not yield readily to the remedies you have tried? The following has proved excellent in many cases: Mix about an eighth of a teaspoonful of Hungarian paprika with a teaspoonful of strained honey and swallow the mixture. Sometimes relief follows immediately, and the pleasant sensation of warmth is most grateful when the cough is accompanied by the usual symptoms of a cold or the grip. The dose can be taken twice a day.

How to Satisfactorily Roast a Chicken.

In roasting any bird place the breast down in the pan when first put in the oven. By so doing the juice will run out of the back into the breast, making it more juicy. Instead of the juices from the white meat settling in the backbone, as happens when a bird is placed back down in the pan.

How to Improve the Bath.
Do you enjoy a cold sponge bath in the morning? Add a tablespoonful of salt to the bowlful of water and notice how much more refreshing the bath will be.

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